

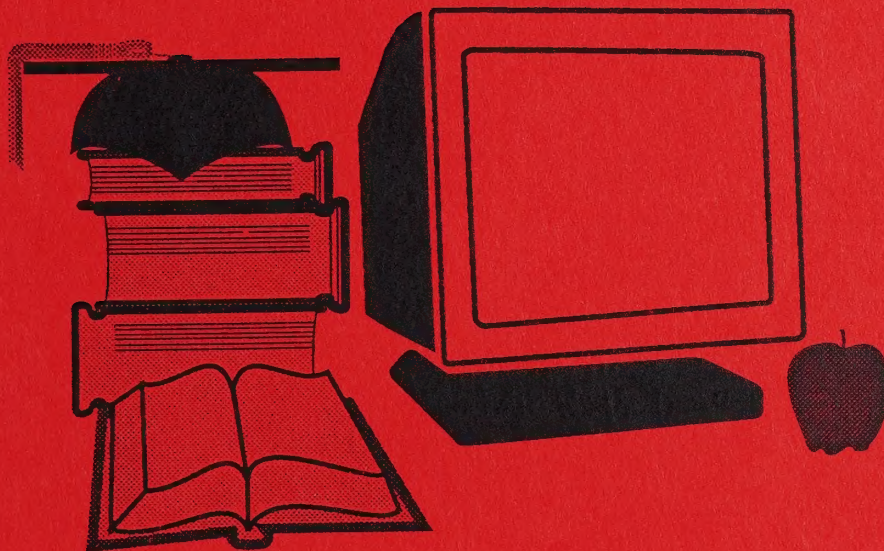
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## *Performance Profile* Bay Area School Districts











## INTRODUCTION

This *Education Performance Profile* was compiled by the Bay Area Council from information submitted by Bay Area school districts to the California Department of Education. This is the first time that data from high schools in every district throughout the Bay Area has been compiled in a manner that allows parents and education, business and community leaders to easily compare and contrast school performance.

Education and workforce preparation remain the highest priority challenge to the future competitiveness of this region's knowledge-based economy. As the Bay Area's comparative performance of its K-12 school system falls behind other regions, the Bay Area Council is compelled to explore what, if anything, can and should be done by the business community on the regional level to improve education performance and workforce preparation.

We encourage you to duplicate and distribute this information as you see fit, and to discuss it with interested organizations and individuals. Please contact us if you have any comments or questions.

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**SCHOLASTIC ASSESSMENT TEST (SAT) SCORES**  
**CALIFORNIA AND THE NATION**  
**1971-72 to 1995-96**  
**Public and Private School Seniors**

| Year    | National<br>Verbal | Math | Total | California<br>Verbal | Math | Total | Number<br>Taking | Percent<br>Tested |
|---------|--------------------|------|-------|----------------------|------|-------|------------------|-------------------|
| 1971-72 | 530                | 509  | 1039  | 540                  | 517  | 1057  | 91,619           | 30%               |
| 1972-73 | 523                | 506  | 1029  | 528                  | 509  | 1037  | 95,206           | 31%               |
| 1973-74 | 521                | 505  | 1026  | 526                  | 509  | 1035  | 98,149           | 32%               |
| 1974-75 | 512                | 498  | 1010  | 513                  | 498  | 1011  | 106,786          | 34%               |
| 1975-76 | 509                | 497  | 1006  | 507                  | 496  | 1003  | 108,652          | 35%               |
| 1976-77 | 507                | 496  | 1003  | 504                  | 496  | 1000  | 107,586          | 35%               |
| 1977-78 | 507                | 494  | 1001  | 504                  | 492  | 996   | 111,524          | 36%               |
| 1978-79 | 505                | 493  | 998   | 504                  | 498  | 1002  | 102,595          | 34%               |
| 1979-80 | 502                | 492  | 994   | 500                  | 497  | 997   | 102,723          | 34%               |
| 1980-81 | 502                | 492  | 994   | 504                  | 500  | 1004  | 100,131          | 34%               |
| 1981-82 | 504                | 493  | 997   | 501                  | 500  | 1001  | 102,261          | 33%               |
| 1982-83 | 503                | 494  | 997   | 498                  | 500  | 998   | 100,495          | 33%               |
| 1983-84 | 504                | 497  | 1001  | 498                  | 501  | 999   | 102,358          | 35%               |
| 1984-85 | 509                | 500  | 1009  | 500                  | 505  | 1005  | 104,585          | 37%               |
| 1985-86 | 509                | 500  | 1009  | 499                  | 505  | 1004  | 108,287          | 38%               |
| 1986-87 | 507                | 501  | 1008  | 500                  | 507  | 1007  | 117,198          | 38%               |
| 1987-88 | 505                | 501  | 1006  | 500                  | 508  | 1008  | 119,784          | 41%               |
| 1988-89 | 504                | 502  | 1006  | 499                  | 508  | 1007  | 115,552          | 41%               |
| 1989-90 | 500                | 501  | 1001  | 494                  | 508  | 1002  | 112,577          | 42%               |
| 1990-91 | 499                | 500  | 999   | 491                  | 506  | 997   | 114,716          | 43%               |
| 1991-92 | 500                | 501  | 1001  | 491                  | 508  | 999   | 116,806          | 41%               |
| 1992-93 | 500                | 503  | 1003  | 491                  | 508  | 999   | 120,386          | 41%               |
| 1993-94 | 499                | 504  | 1003  | 489                  | 506  | 995   | 127,004          | 42%               |
| 1994-95 | 504                | 506  | 1010  | 492                  | 509  | 1001  | 127,364          | 41%               |
| 1995-96 | 505                | 508  | 1013  | 495                  | 511  | 1006  | 130,830          | 42%               |

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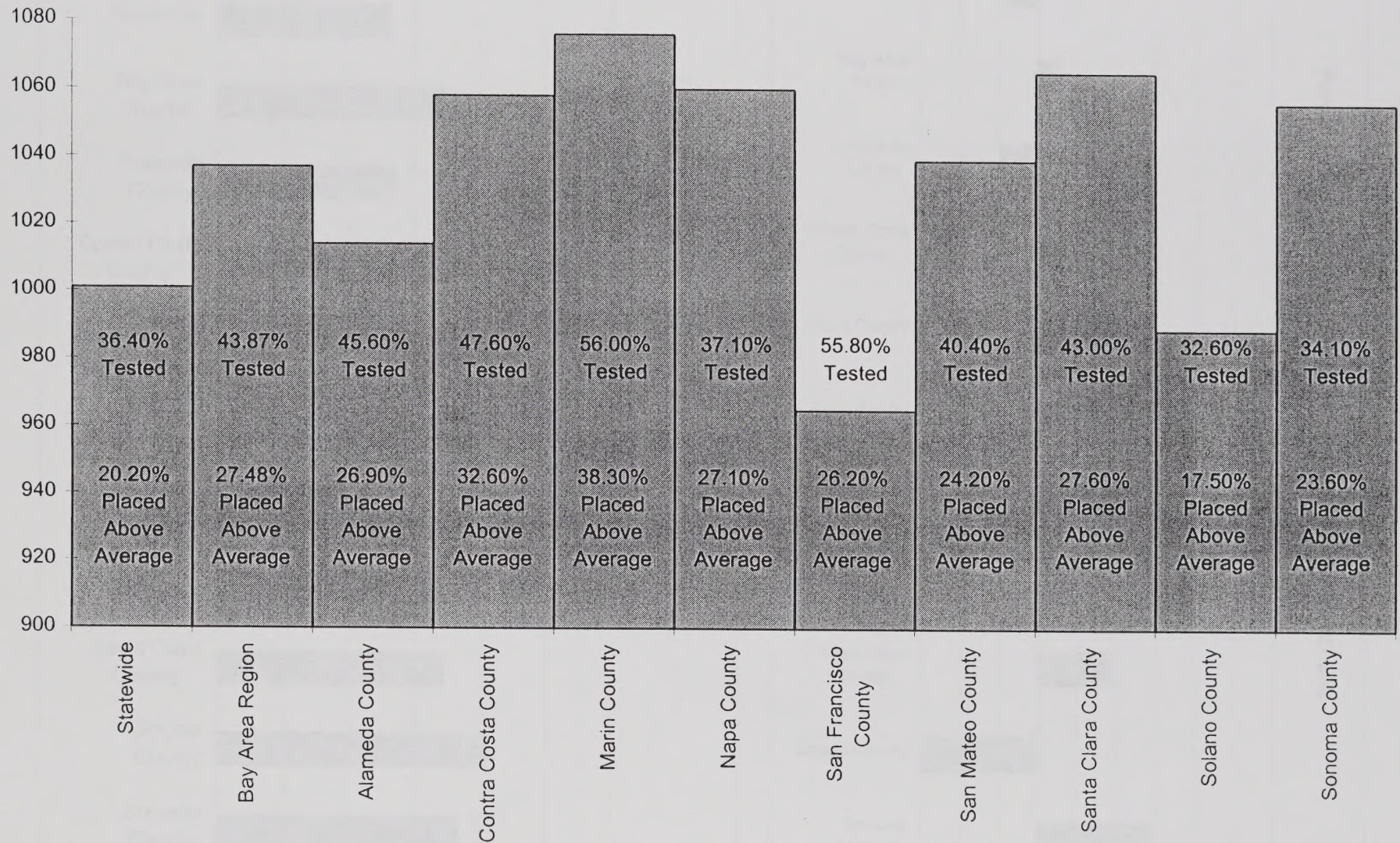


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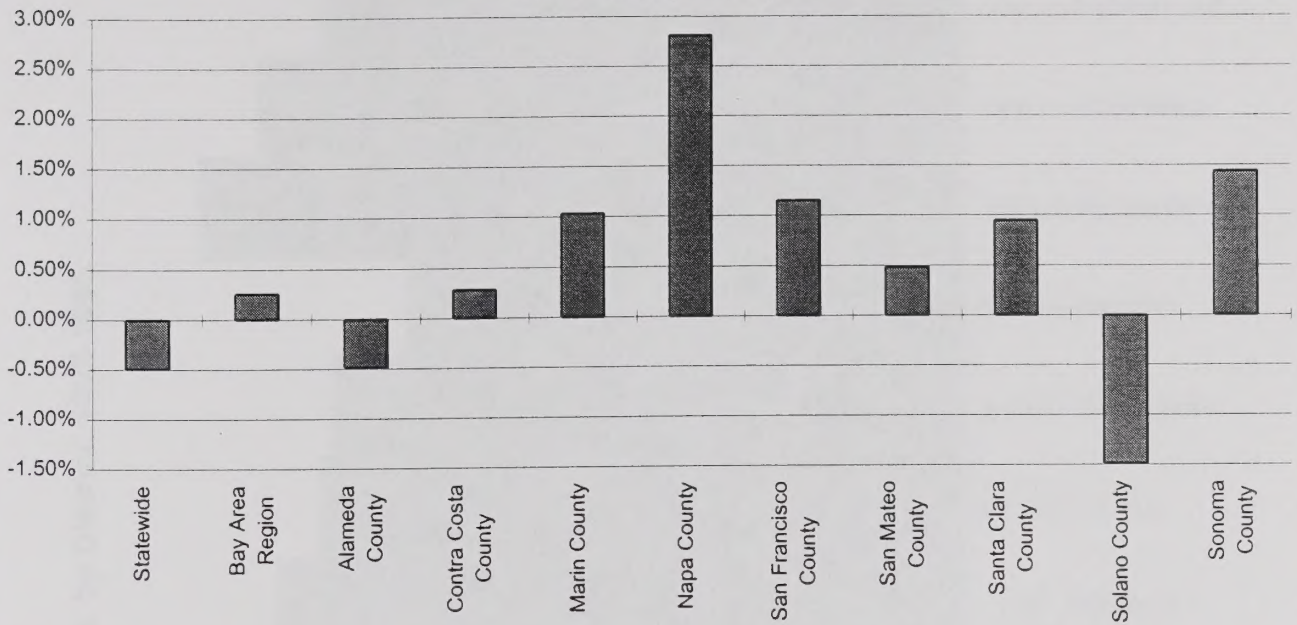




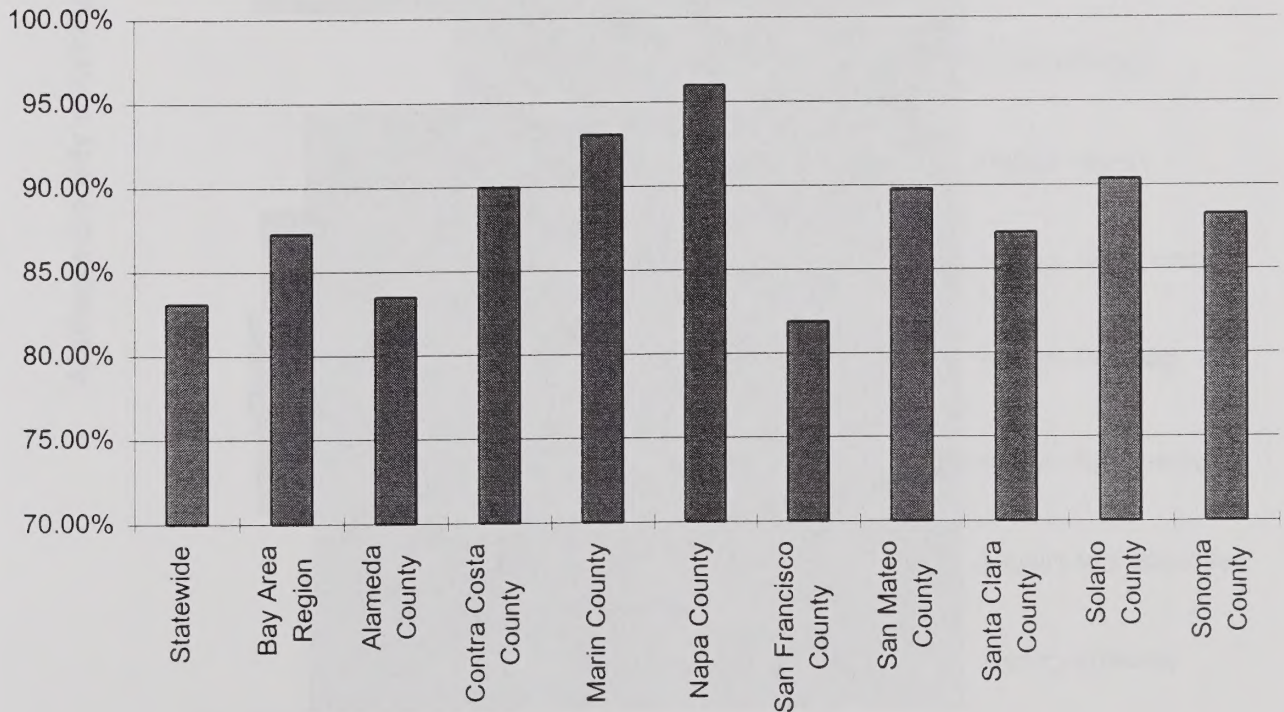




**Percent Change in Average SAT Scores between 1986-1987 and 1995-1996, by County**



**Graduation Rate, by County, 1995-1996**

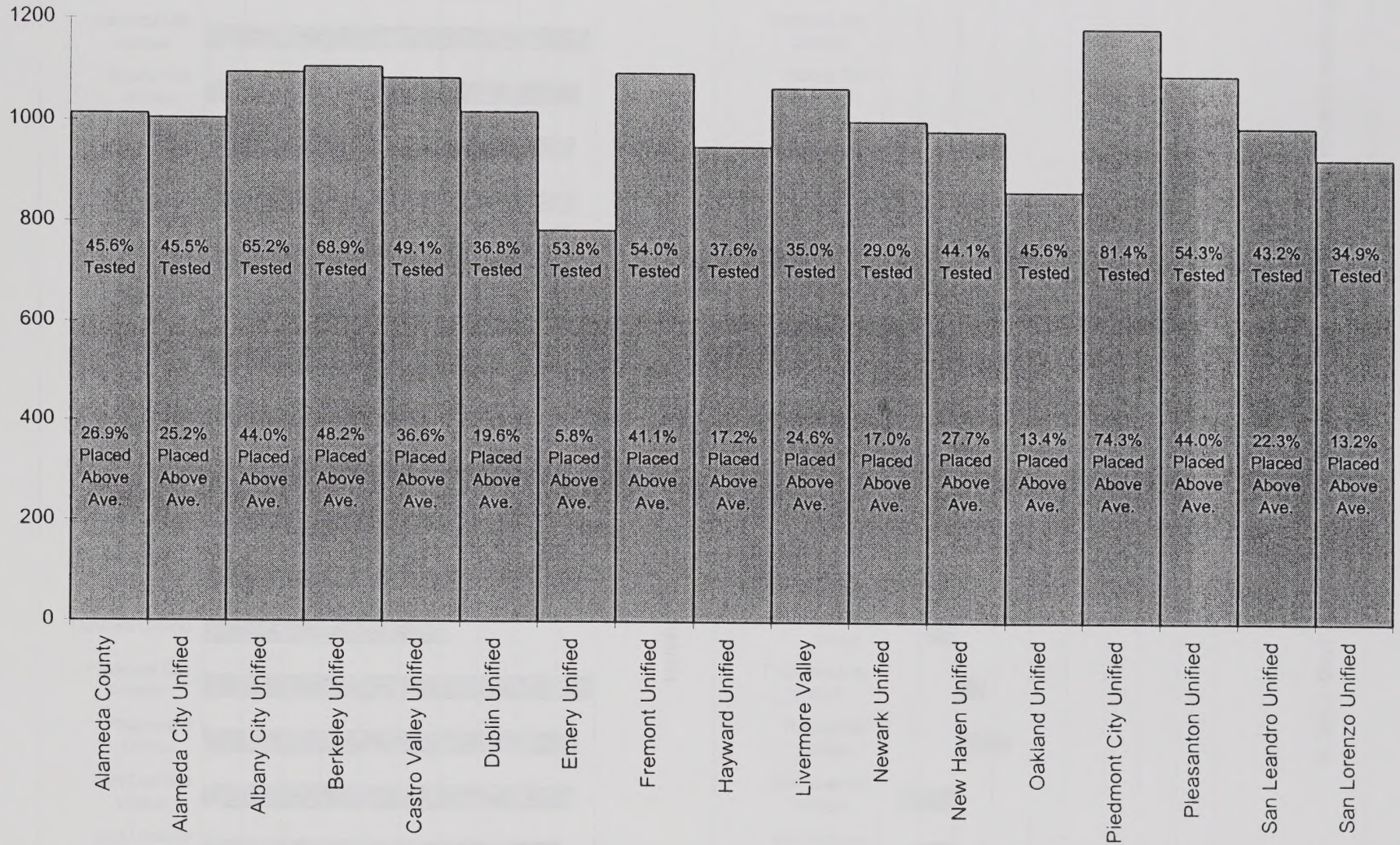








Alameda County's Average SAT Scores, by District, 1995-1996

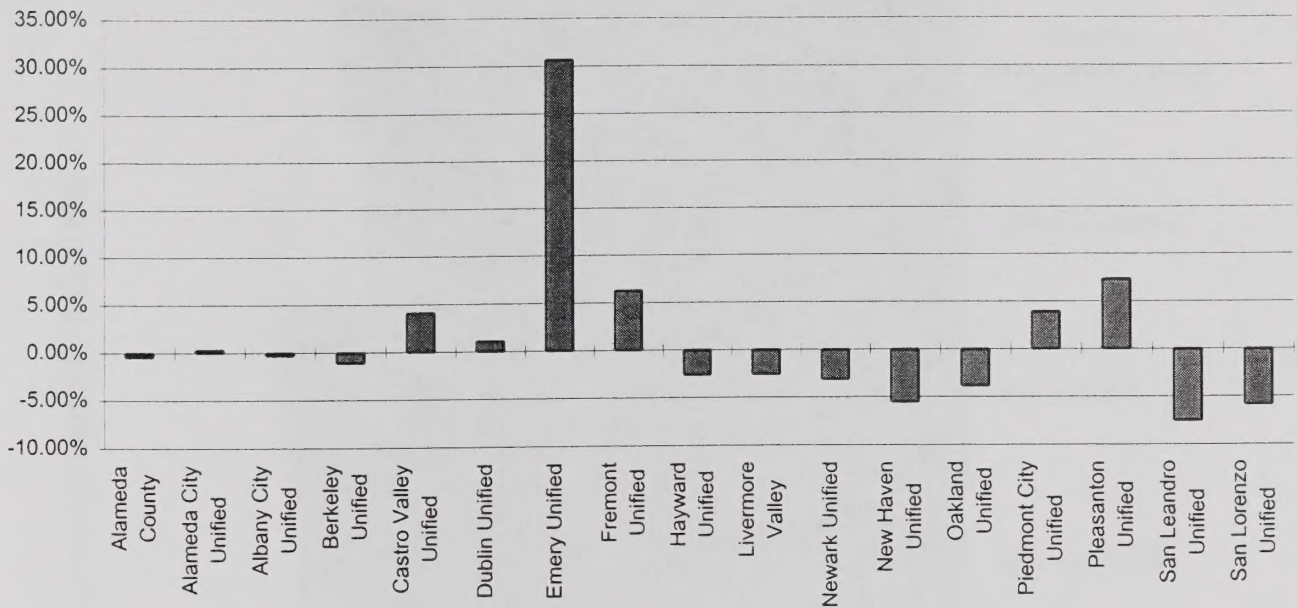




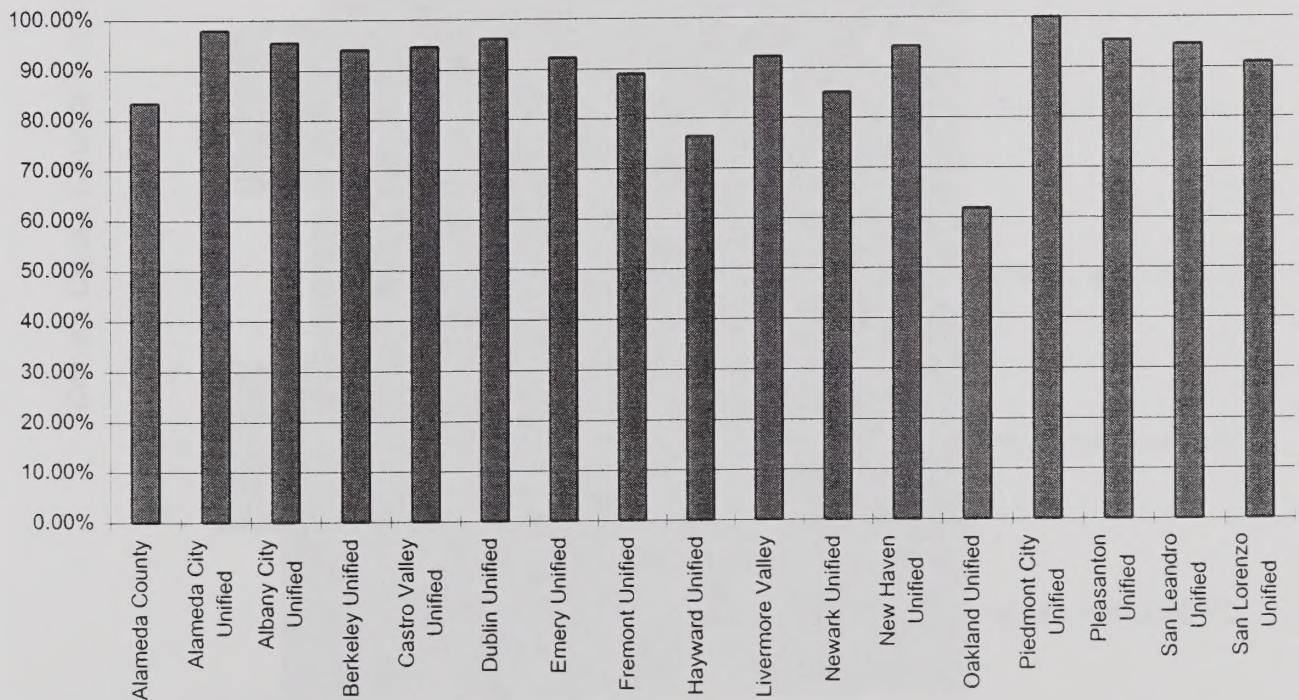




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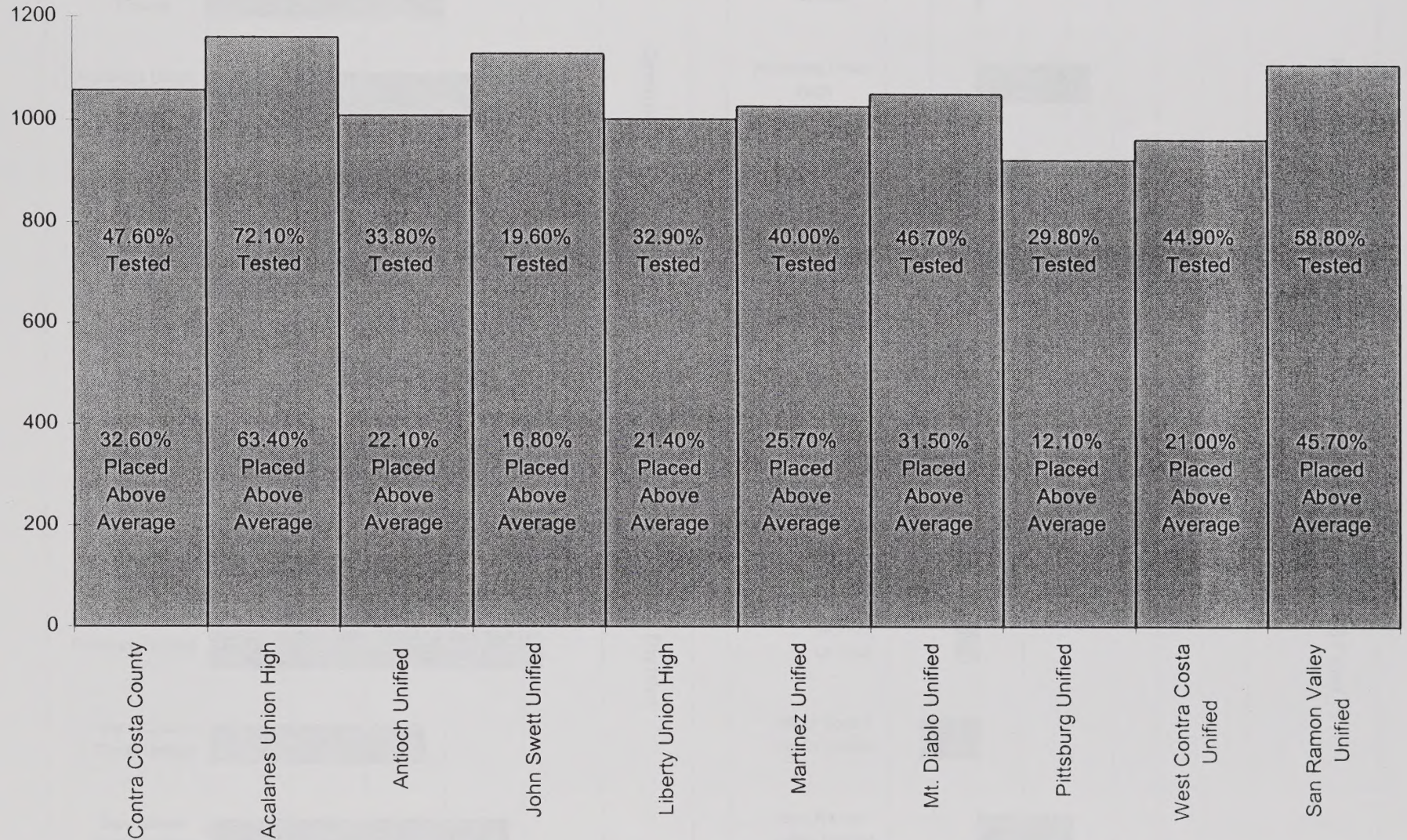
**Graduation Rate in Alameda County for 1995-1996, by District**







Contra Costa County's Average SAT Scores, by District, 1995-1996

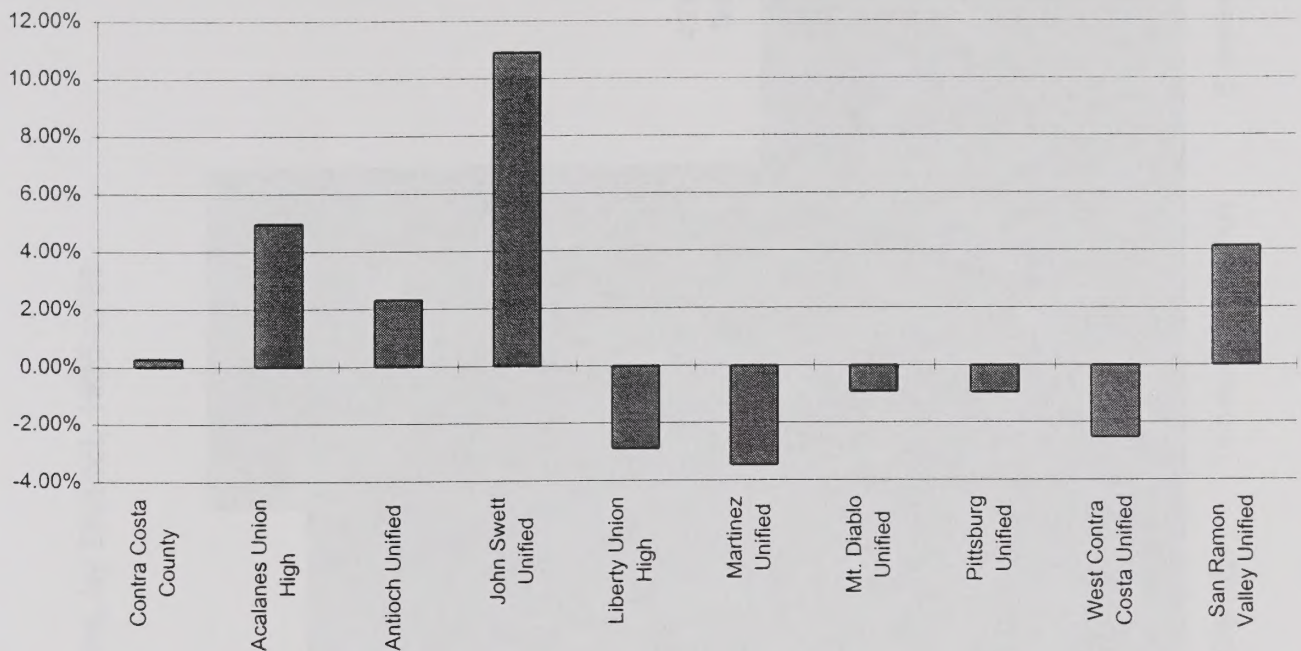




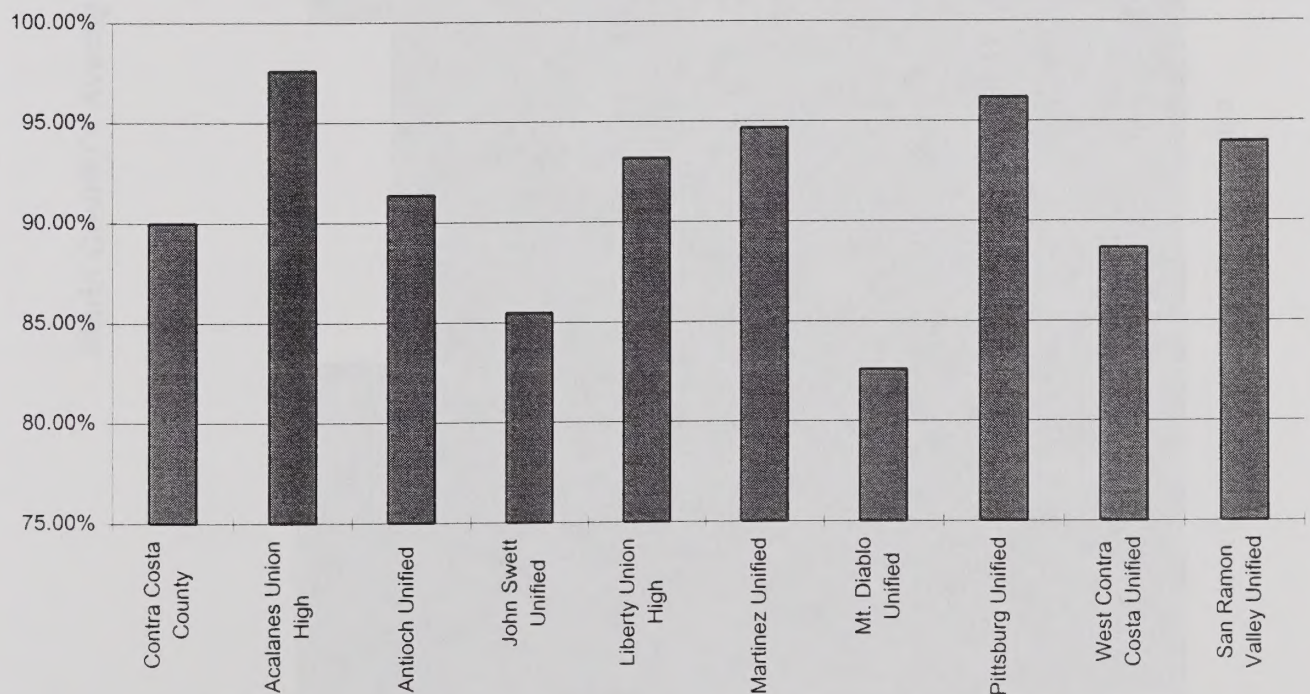




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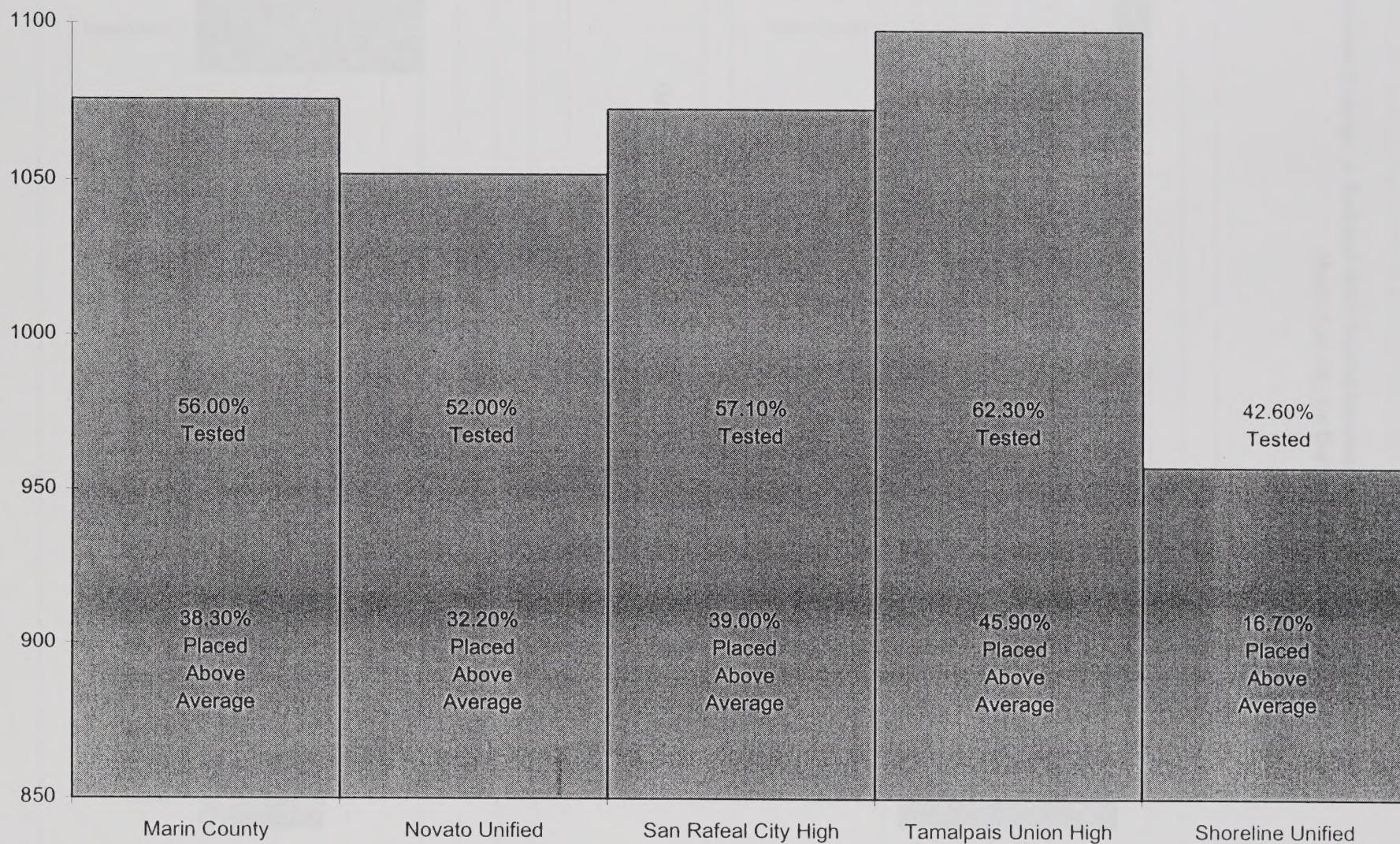
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Marin County's Average SAT Scores, by District, 1995-1996

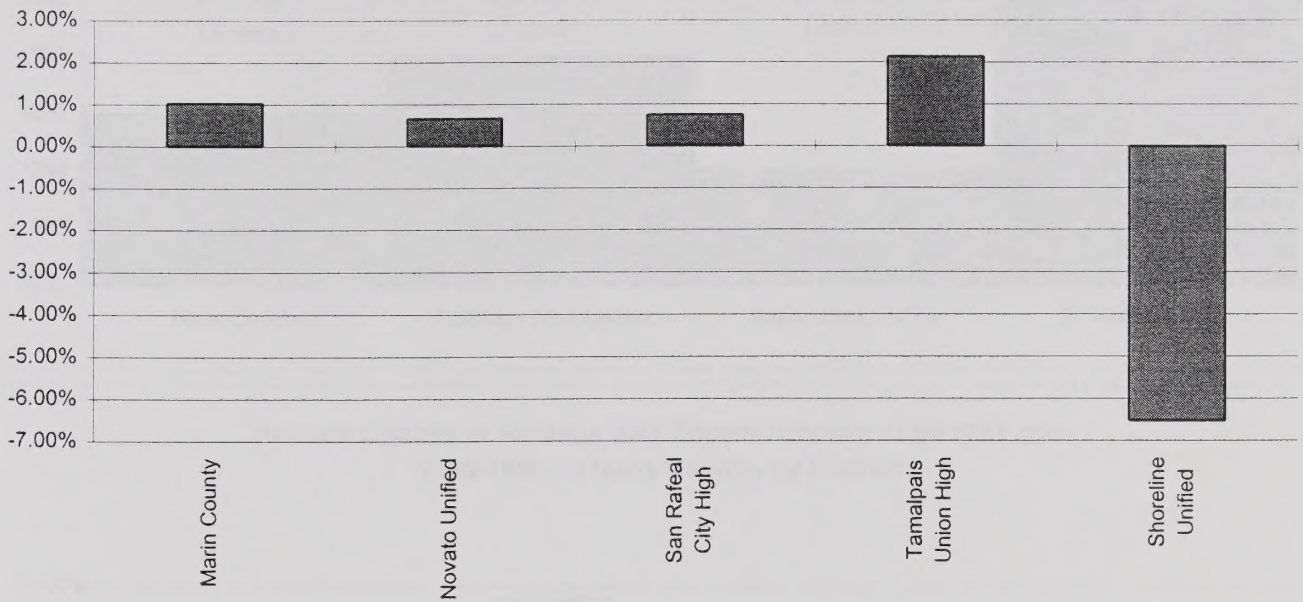




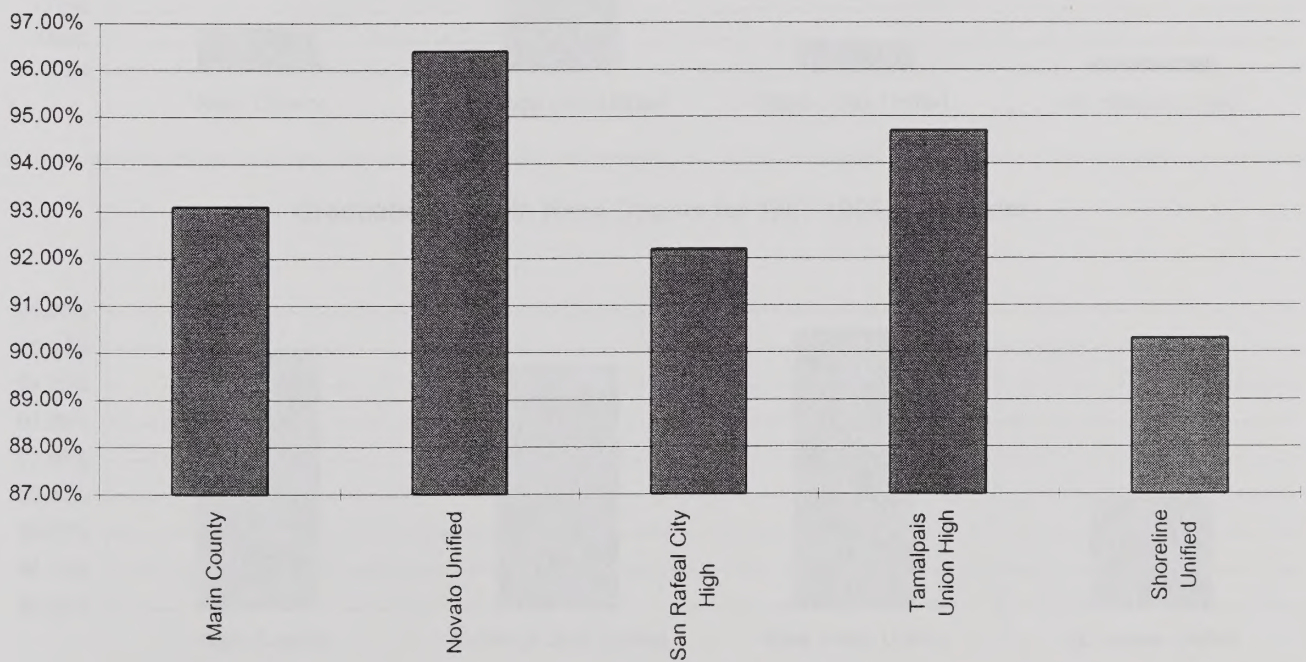




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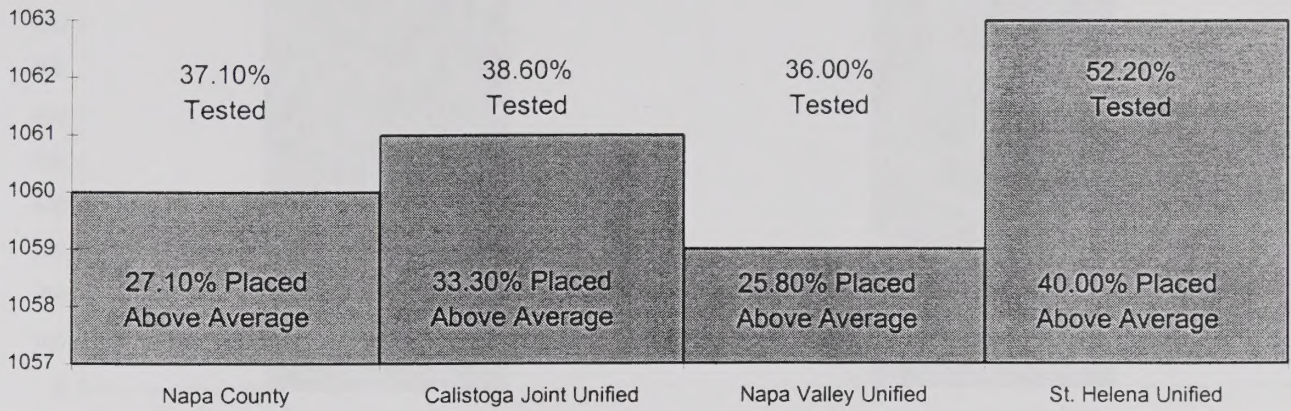
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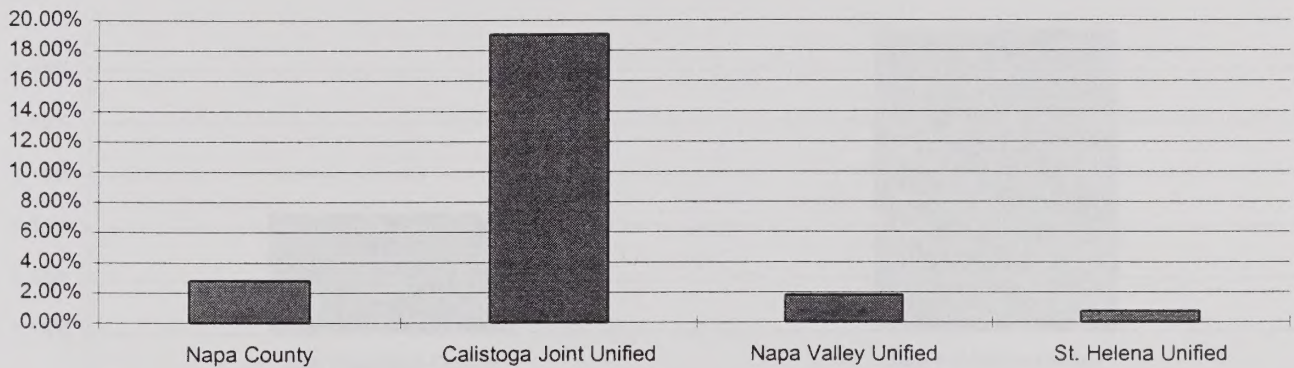




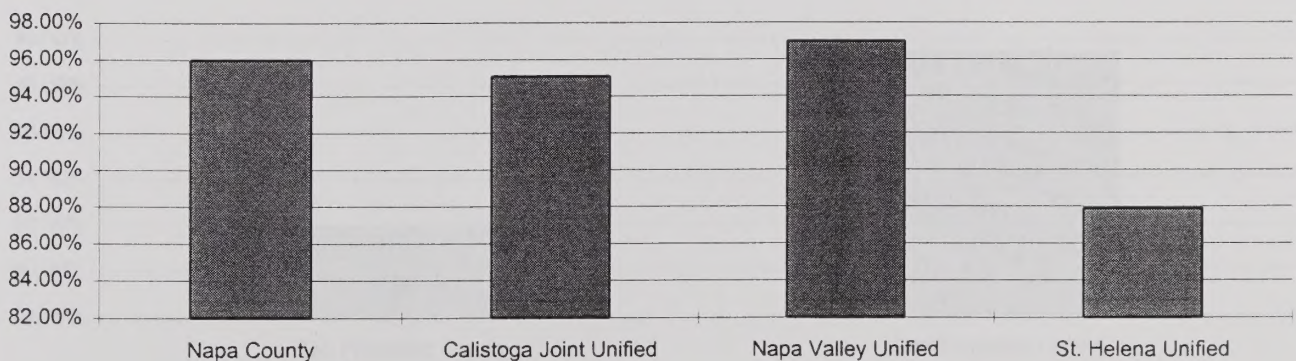
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**Percent Change in Average SAT Scores between 1986-1987 and 1995-1996, in Napa County, by District**



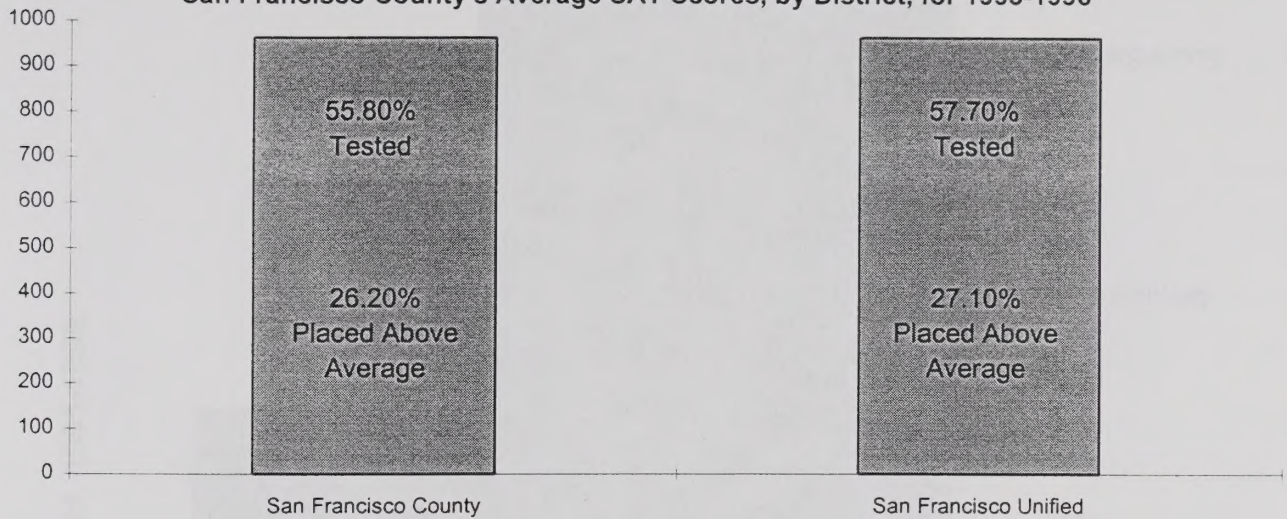
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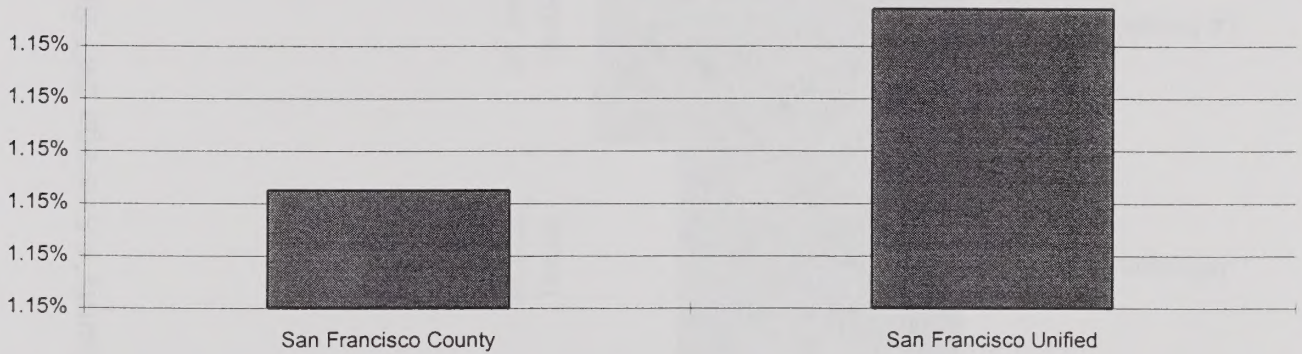




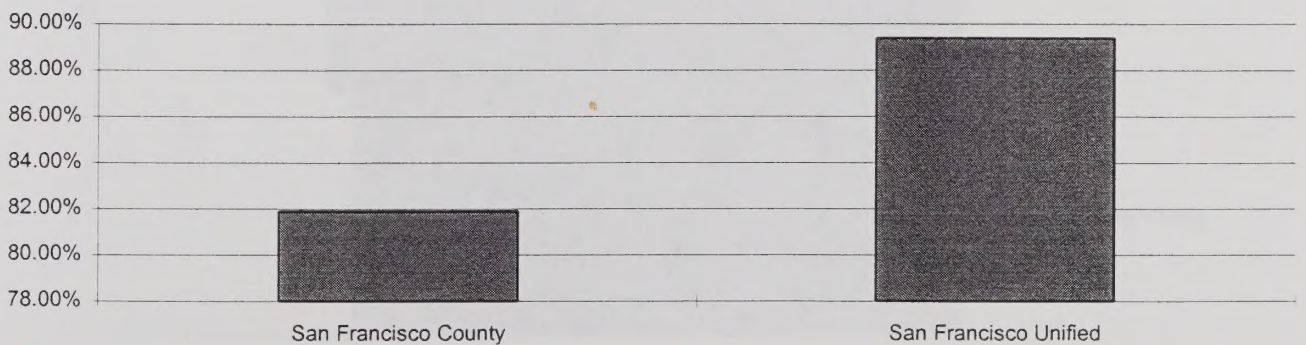
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**Percent Change in Average SAT Scores between 1986-1987 and 1995-1996, in San Francisco County, by District**



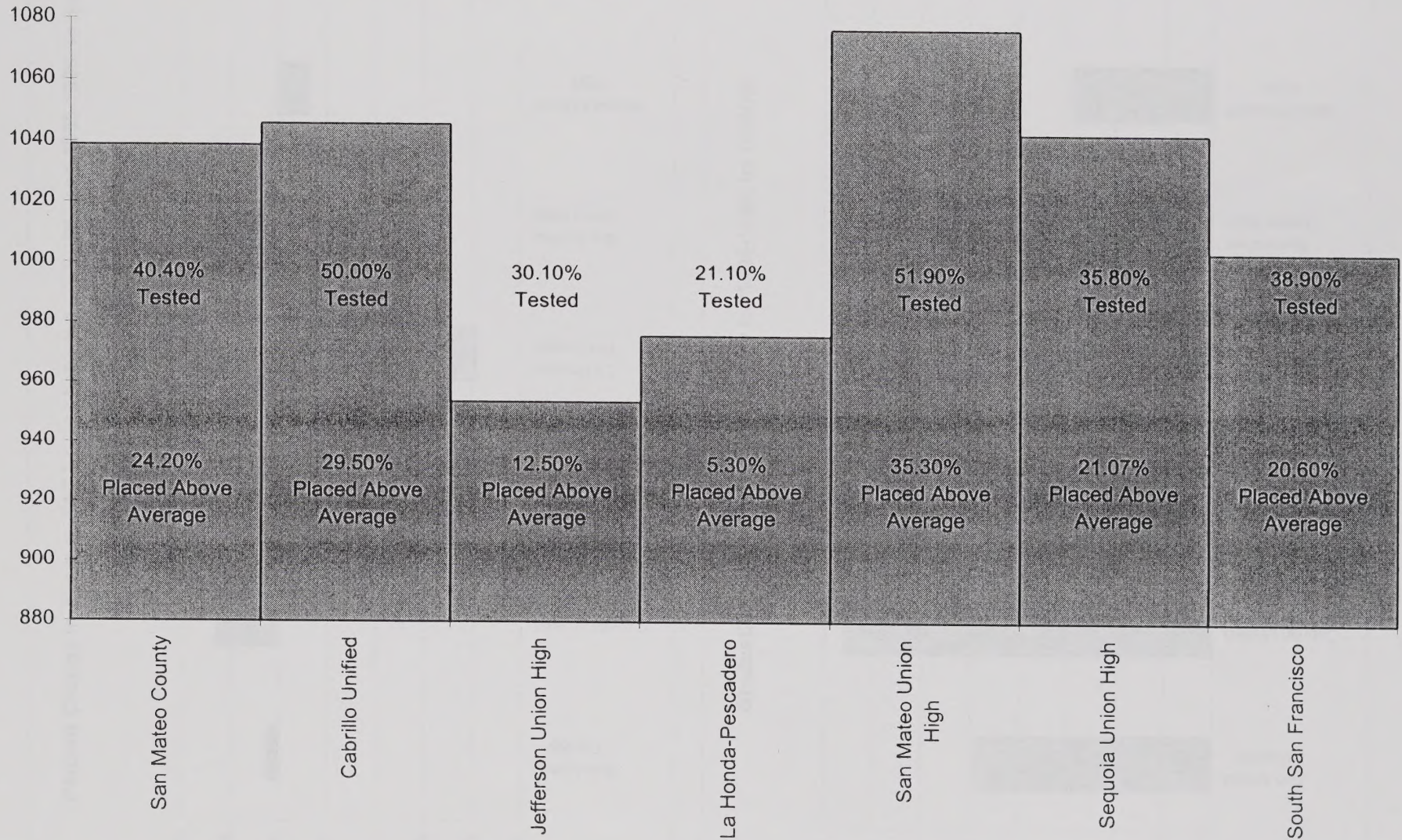
**Graduation Rate in San Francisco County for 1995-1996, by District**







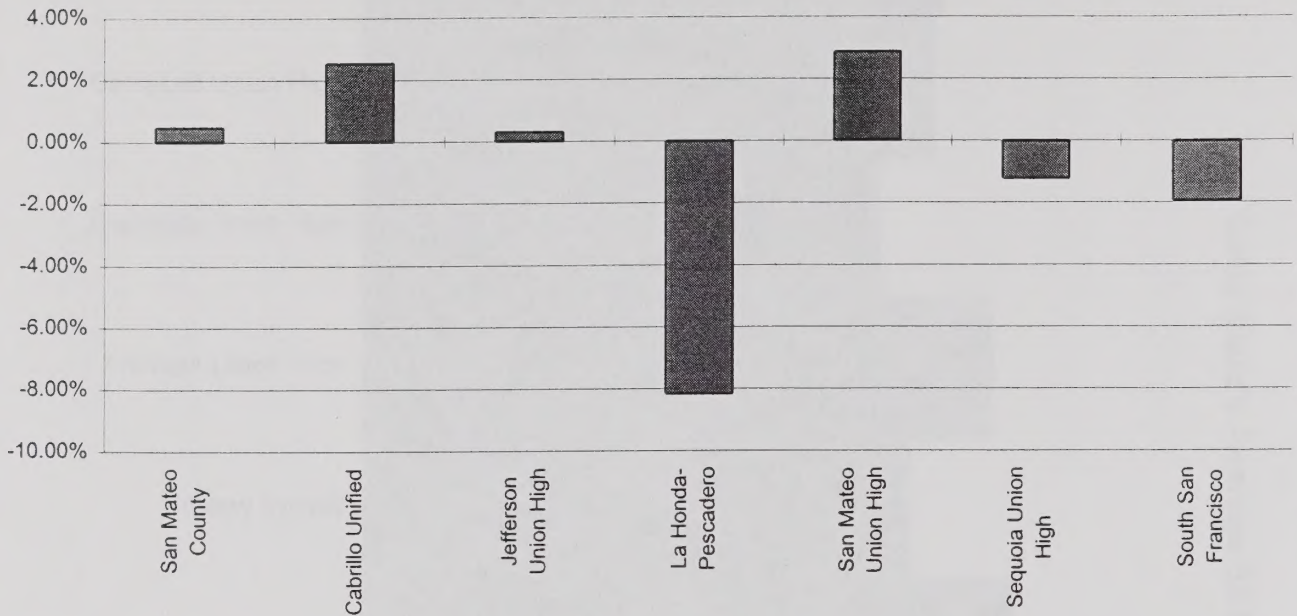
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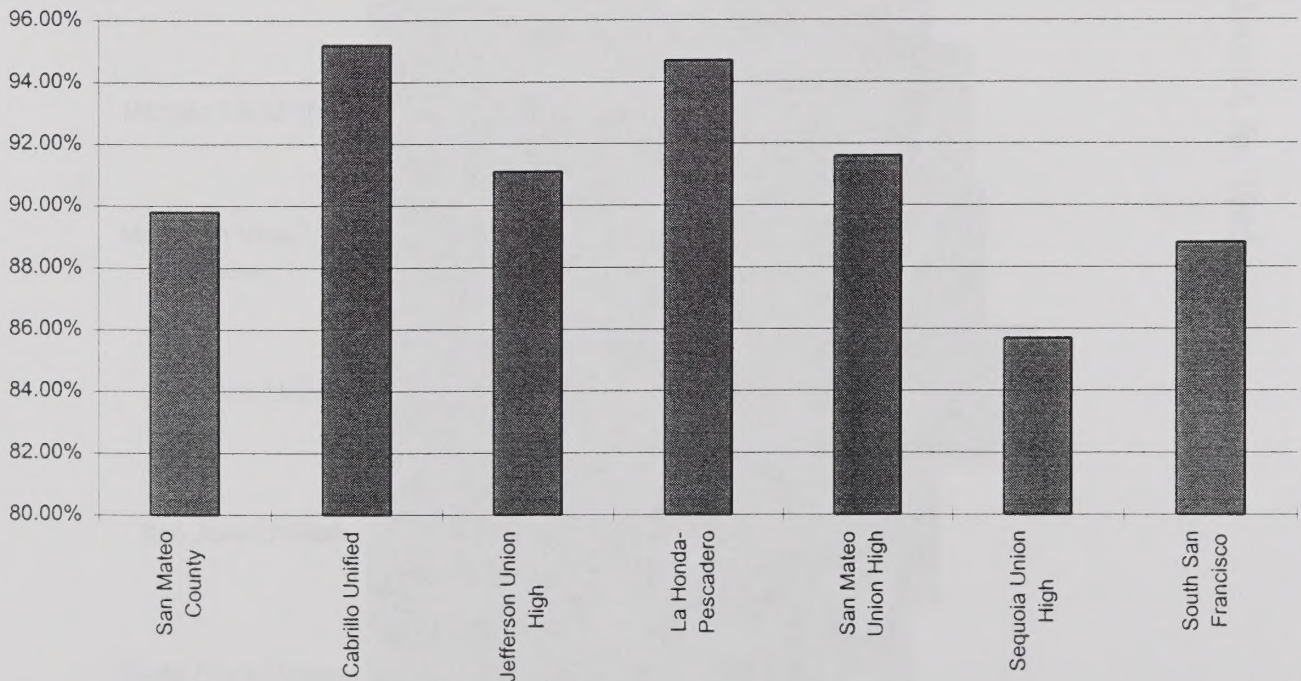




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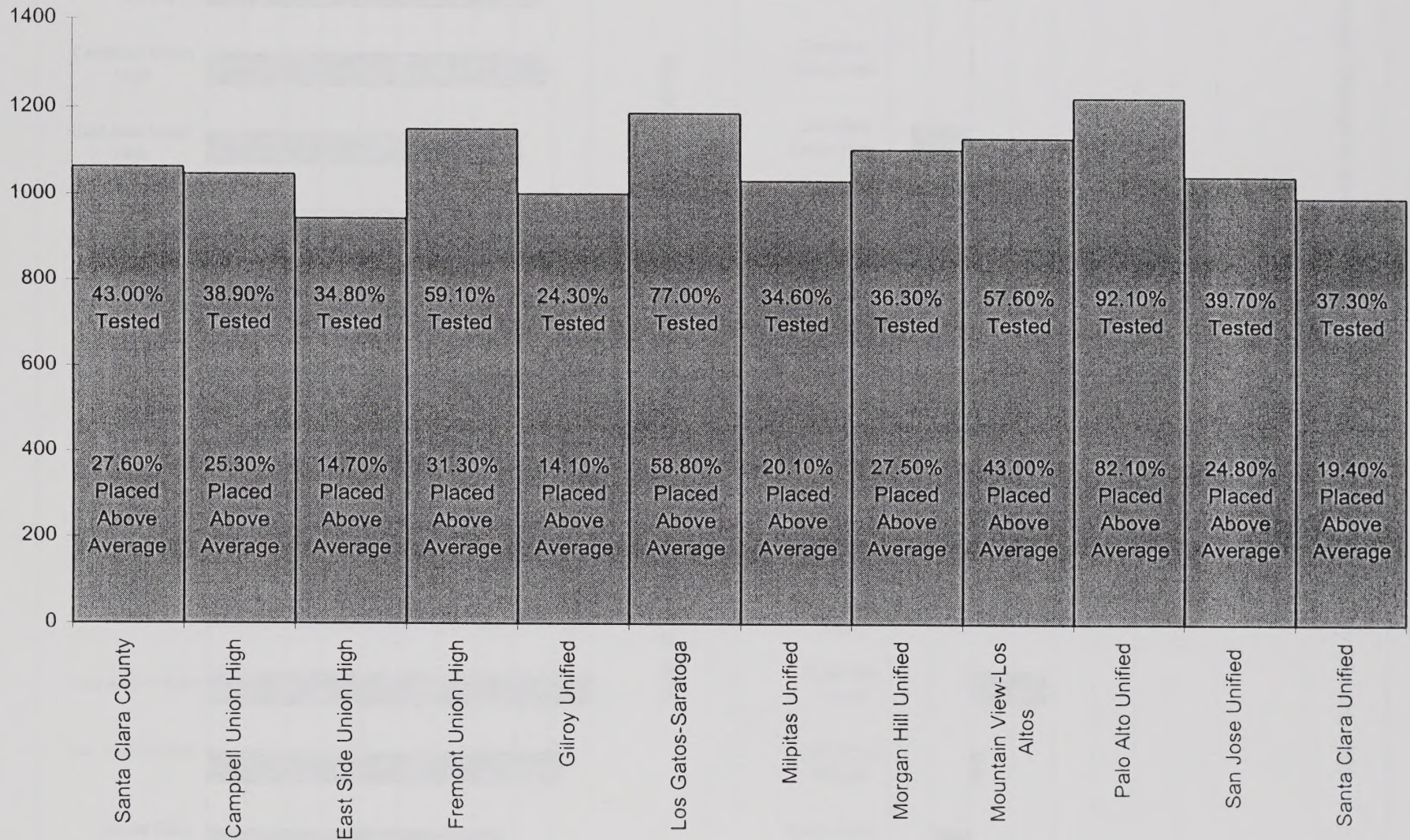
**Graduation Rate in San Mateo County for 1995-1996, by District**







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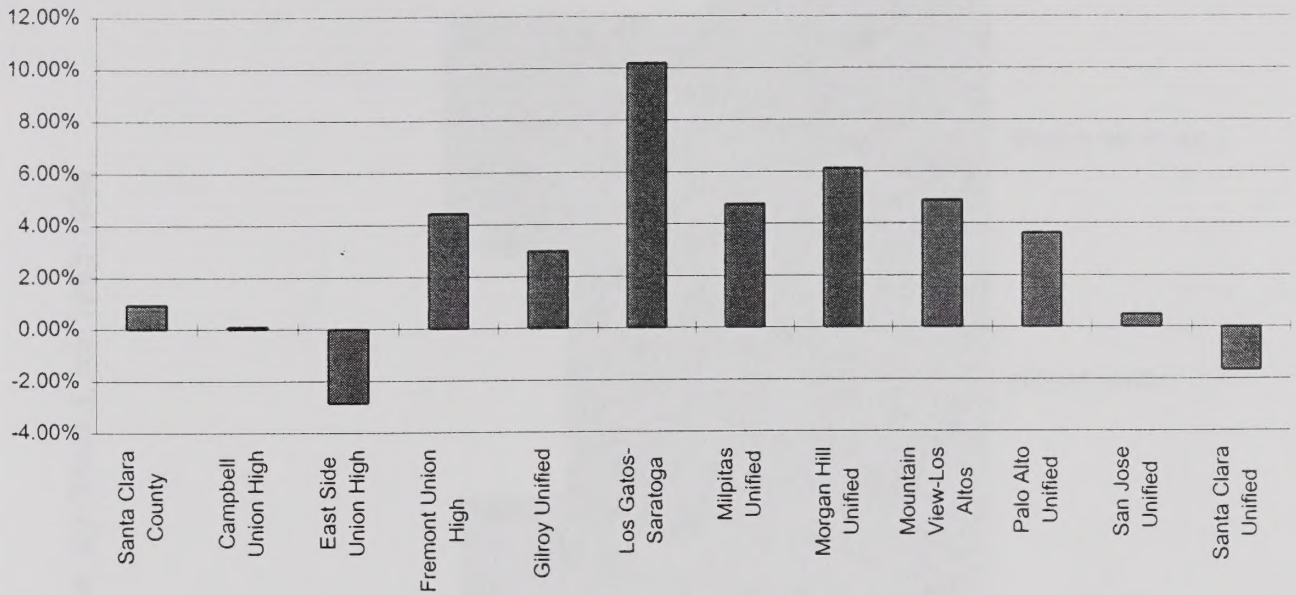




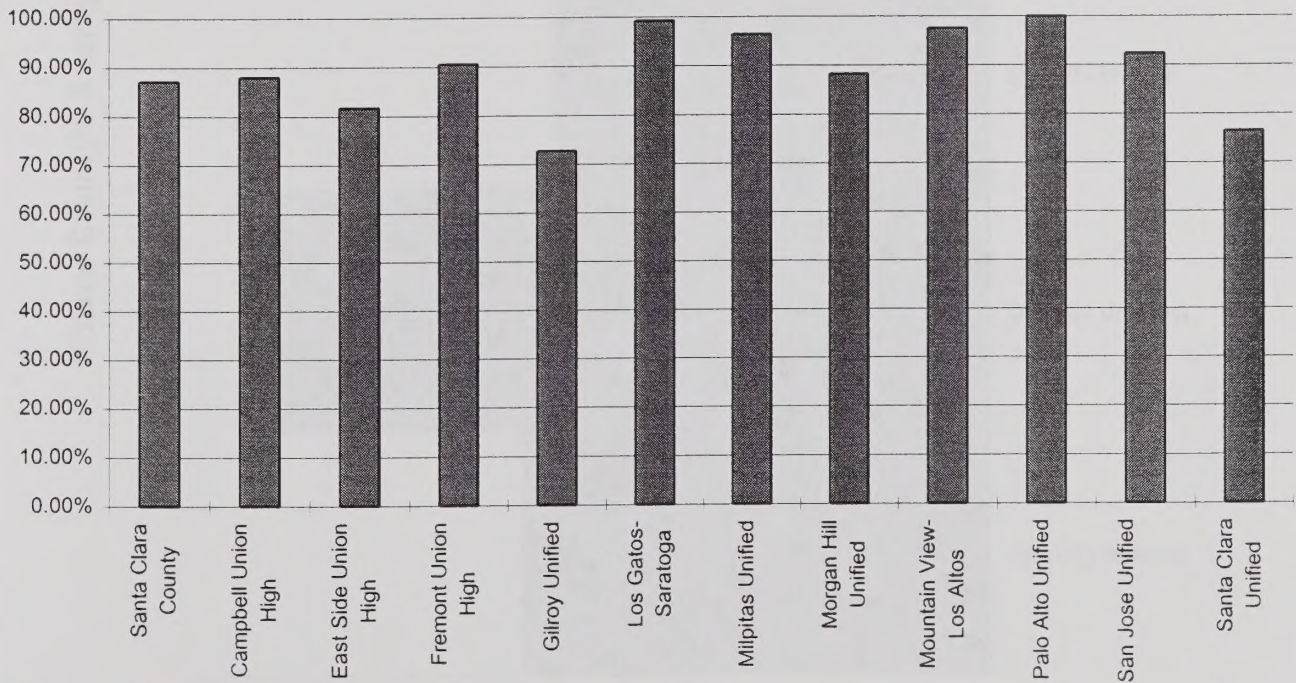




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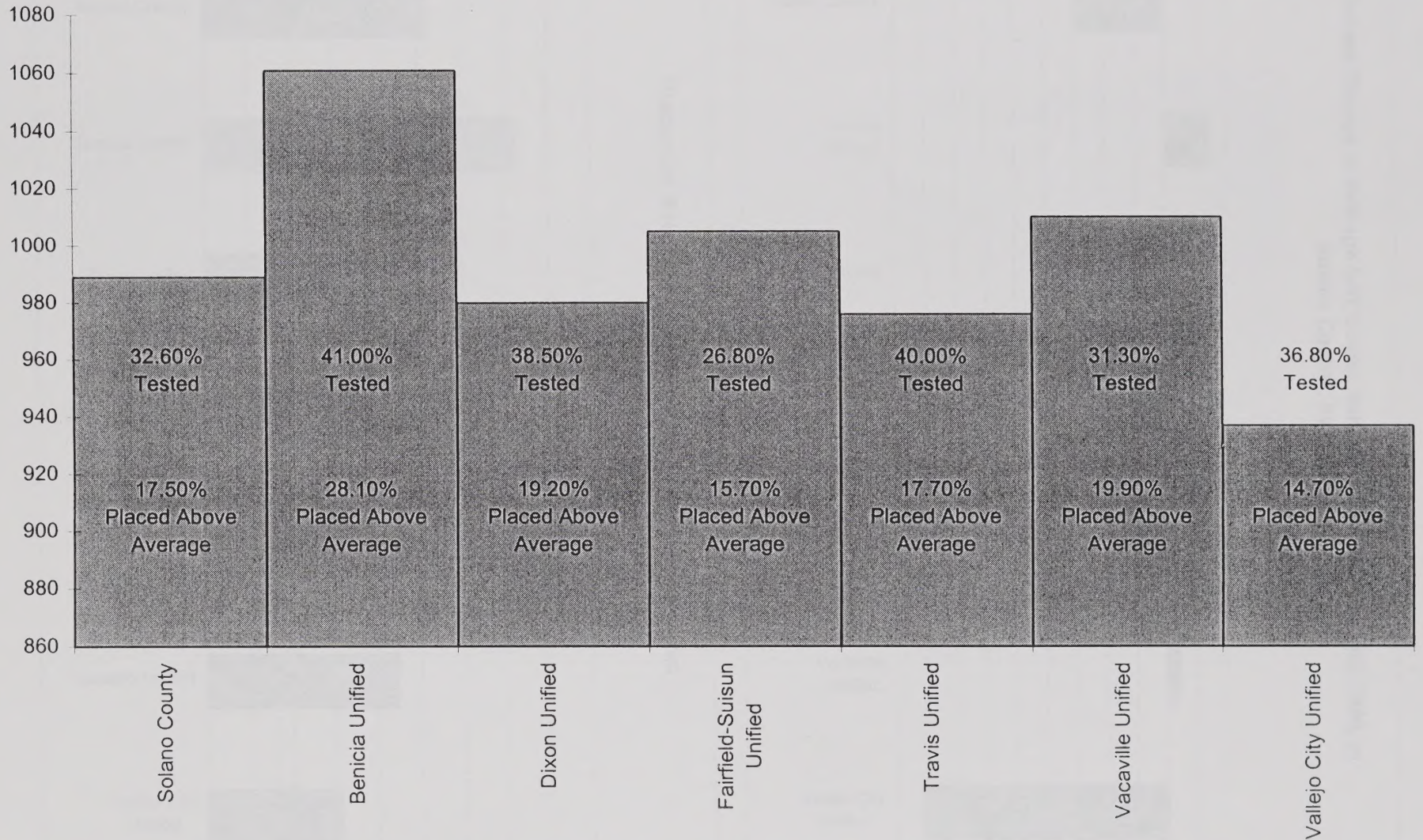
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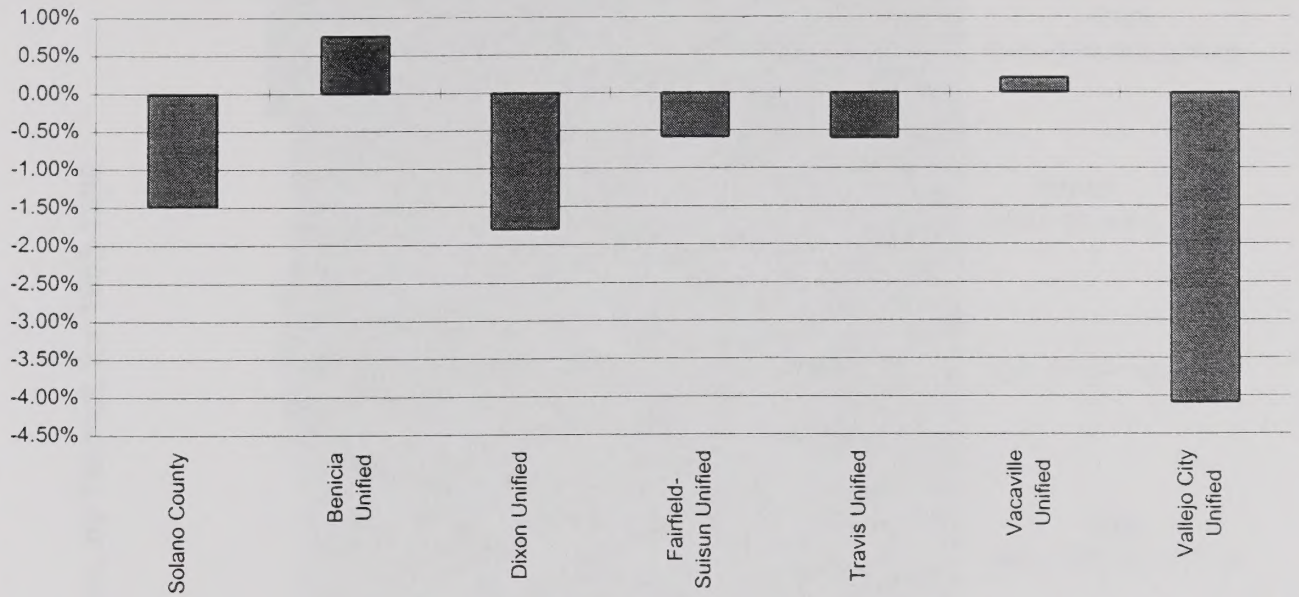
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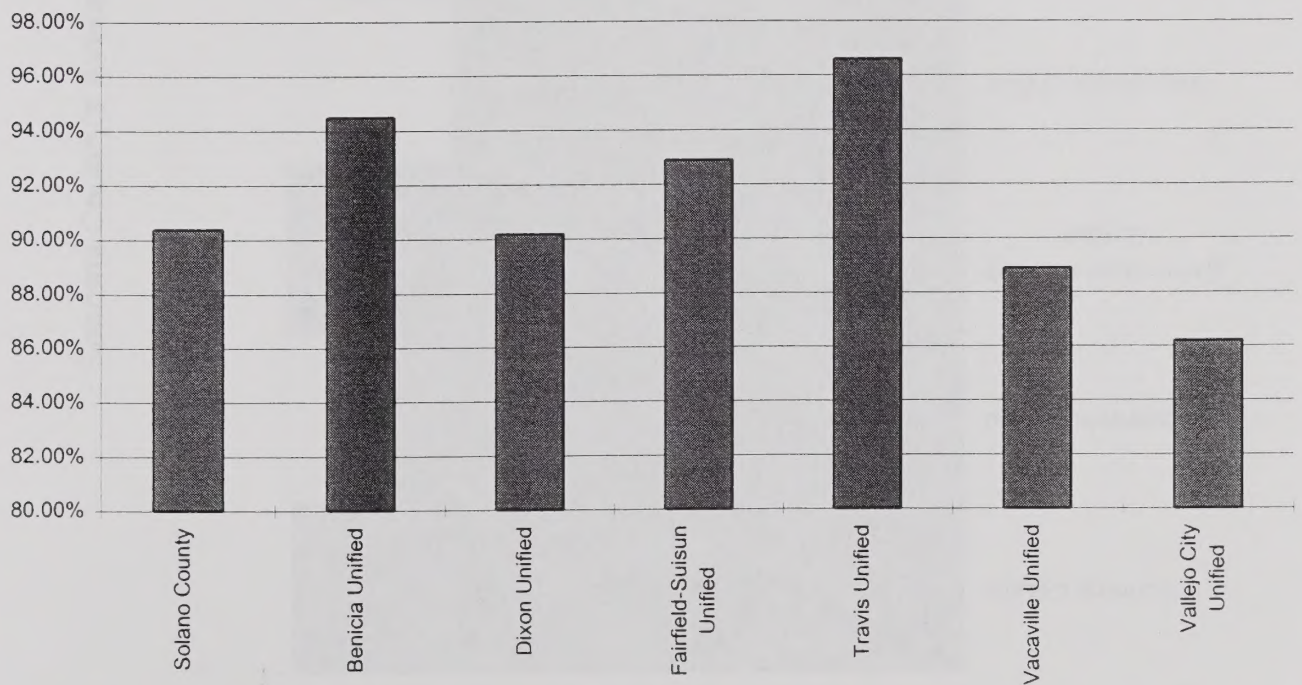




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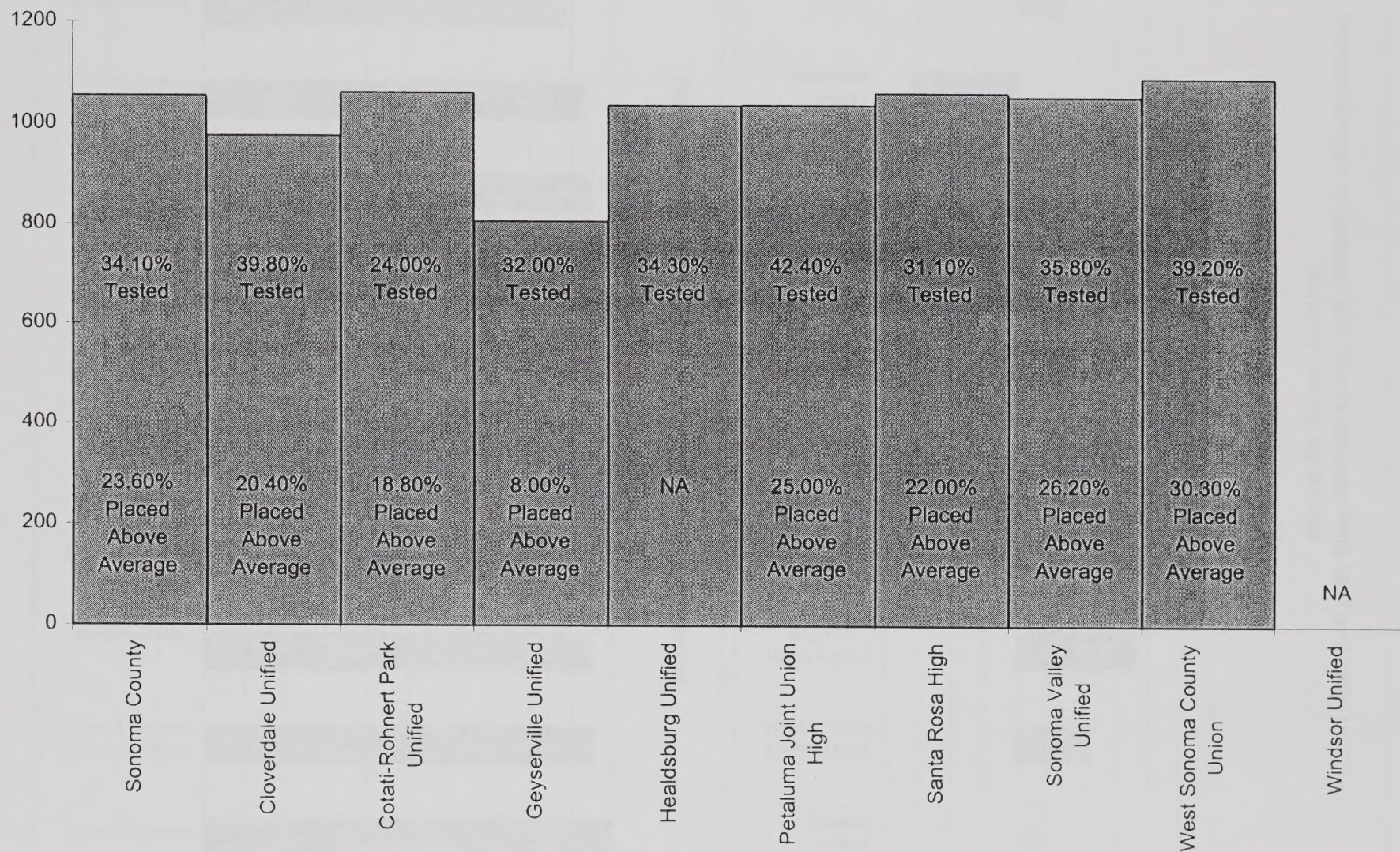
**Graduation Rate in Solano County for 1995-1996, by District**







**Sonoma County's Average SAT Scores, by District, for 1995-1996**

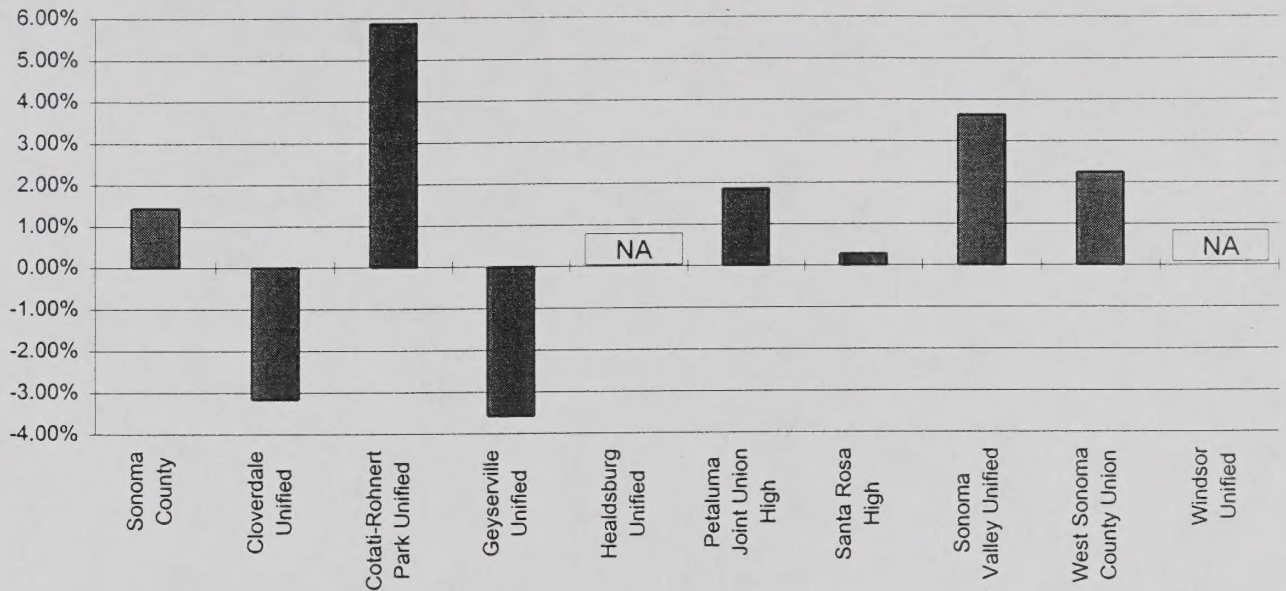




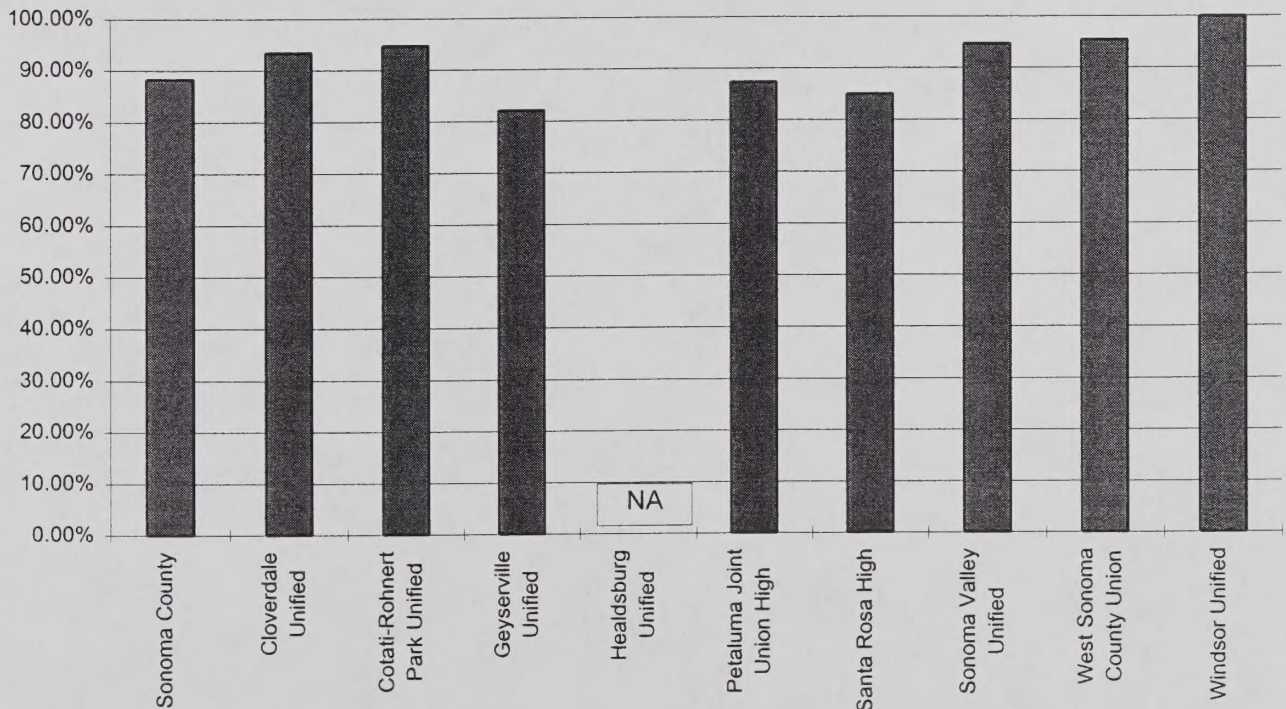




**Percent Change in Average SAT Scores between 1986-1987 and 1995-1996, in  
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**Graduation Rate in Sonoma County for 1995-1996, by District**





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